



COMMITTEE REPORT

MADAM PRESIDENT:

The Senate Committee on Rules and Legislative Procedure, to which was referred Senate Joint Resolution No. 18, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said joint resolution be AMENDED as follows:

- 1 Delete the title and insert the following:
- 2 A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to the United
- 3 States Constitution.
- 4 Page 1, delete lines 1 through 6, begin a new paragraph and insert:
- 5 "SECTION 1. That the General Assembly of the State of Indiana
- 6 makes application to the Congress of the United States for a convention
- 7 under Article V of the Constitution of the United States to propose
- 8 amendments to the Constitution of the United States.
- 9 SECTION 2. That such a convention called under Article V be
- 10 limited to proposing amendments to the Constitution of the United
- 11 States that do the following:
- 12 (1) Impose fiscal restraints on the federal government.
- 13 (2) Limit the power and jurisdiction of the federal government
- 14 regarding the Commerce and General Welfare Clauses.
- 15 (3) Limit the terms of office for its officials and for members of
- 16 Congress.
- 17 SECTION 3. That certified copies of this resolution be sent to the
- 18 presiding officers of the Congress of the United States, to the Secretary
- 19 of the United States Senate and the Clerk of the United States House
- 20 of Representatives, to the presiding officer of each chamber of each
- 21 state legislature in the United States, and to the members of the
- 22 Congress of the United States from Indiana."
- (Reference is to SJR 18 as introduced.)

and when so amended that said joint resolution be reassigned to the Senate Committee on Judiciary.

LONG, Chairperson